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Honorable Esther Salas, U.S.D.J. United States District Court District of New Jersey, Newark Division 50 Walnut Street Newark, New Jersey 07102

RE: Torres v. Isaias RE: Failure to provide zoom visitation Docket No.: 2:23-cv-00935

Your Honor:

The court entered an order on March 17, 2023, ECF Doc 17 that not only required an Answer to the Petition by Respondent either pro se and/or through an attorney by March 21, 2023 as well as a reply to Petitioner's letter ECF Doc 15 regarding the lack of virtual communication with the minor child. Respondent failed to comply with this Court's Order and Petitioner has already filed a request to enter default ECF Doc 21 submitted today.

Petitioner has informed the undersigned that he has had virtually no communication with the minor child except for text messaging in which the minor child has refused to talk to him and Respondent has not assisted in fostering and/or facilitating contact between Petitioner and the child. Petitioner respectfully requests that the Court find Respondent in violation of its Order of March 14, 2023 and March 17, 2023, ECF Doc 16 and 17.

Obviously, without an Answer to the Petition by Respondent, Petitioner cannot submit any reply by March 24, 2023. With that said, Petitioner intends to apply for default judgment after the entry of default.

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Thank you for Your Honor's attention to this matter.

Respectfully yours,

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